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September 26, 2012

Mark Shonkwiler
Assistant General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
Office of the General Counsel
999 E Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20463

RE: MUR 6575
LaMalfa for Congress Committee and
Dave Bauer, as Treasurer

Dear Mr. Shonkwiler:

I have been requested to respond to your office regarding the above referenced matter on behalf of the LaMalfa for Congress Committee (Committee) and Dave Bauer, in his capacity as treasurer of the Committee (Respondents). A designation of counsel reflecting that representation is enclosed.

I understand that Mr. Bauer submitted a response on May 21, 2012. I am currently working with the Respondents and the staff persons involved in the allegations contained in the Complaint. I am preparing testimony and supporting documentation which will evidence there have been no violation of the Act. I anticipate that the testimony and documentation will be forwarded to your office within the next ten (10) days. I am seeking to present complete and thorough information to your office in order to have the matter resolved immediately.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter. Should you have any questions pertaining to this matter, please contact me.

Very truly yours,

Paul E. Sullivan

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